

# Summer 2012



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## Program Registration

Begins  
April 18, 2012

Download forms On-Line and Mail In  
Or Stop By the Office

For All Taunton Children  
Ages 5-12



Proof of Residency Required  
Please include a copy of  
Drivers License & Utility Bill

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# Summer Festival 2012

Monday, June 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 17<sup>th</sup>

Program Hours:

Monday - Friday 9:00 am - 3:00 pm



The Summer Festival Program runs for 8 weeks outside at Hopewell Park. Spend one or all eight weeks participating in this fun outdoor recreational program offered to Taunton children ages 5-12. Enjoy arts & crafts, sports, swimming, games, and lots of other fun things with your friends each day. Lunch is served by the Taunton School Department as part of the summer food program offered by the USDA. Summer Festival is held inside at Coyle Cassidy Gym in the event of rain. Registration is limited to 100 children per week, and all children must be at least five years old, but no older than 12 by June 1, 2012. There is an \$85.00 fee per week to participate in this recreational program and this includes all special events, trips, and activities. (There is an additional fee if enrolling in extended hours.)

Extended Hours are available each day before and after the Summer Festival. Morning Care (6:45 AM – 8:30 AM) is an additional \$5.00 per day or \$20 weekly. Evening Care (3:30 PM – 5:15 PM) is \$6.00 per day or \$25 weekly, or both AM & PM \$8.00 per day or \$35 a week.

## Summer Festival Weekly Trips

<u>June 28<sup>th</sup></u> <u>Pirate Adventures</u> Plymouth, MA	<u>July 5<sup>th</sup></u> <u>Roger Williams Zoo</u> Providence, RI
<u>July 12<sup>th</sup></u> <u>Mystic Aquarium</u> Mystic, CT	<u>July 19<sup>th</sup></u> <u>Paw Sox Game</u> Pawtucket, RI
<u>July 26<sup>th</sup></u> <u>The Movies -</u> <u>Ice Age 4</u> Seekonk, MA	<u>August 2<sup>nd</sup></u> <u>Fenway Park Tour</u> & <u>Frog Pond</u> Boston, MA
<u>August 9<sup>th</sup></u> <u>College Pond</u> S. Carver, MA	<u>August 17<sup>th</sup></u> <u>Canobie Lake</u> Salem, NH

## All Programs Canceled July 4<sup>th</sup>

*Above trips are subject to change*

*Non-Resident fee after June 17<sup>th</sup> (if space allows)  
is \$105.00 per week*

### Scholarships Available

Through a Community Development Block Grant, scholarship money is available to be used towards Summer Festival 2012. Eligible Taunton Families may apply for a Scholarship and attend Summer Festival for the reduced rate of \$35.00 per week as space allows.

#### 50 Scholarships Available Each Week

Applications will be available for up to two (2) weeks\* of Summer Festival per child at this reduced rate. Each Scholarship is good to use toward the regular program hours of 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM and do not include any extended care options which are available at the regular rate.

\*Eligible Taunton Families may apply for additional Scholarships if available after June 1, 2012.  
(Call 508-821-1415 for availability)

### Beginning on Wednesday – April 18, 2012

Applications will be available at the Parks, Cemeteries & Public Grounds Office, 170 Harris Street between the hours of 9:00 AM – 3:00 PM.

#### Household Limits\*

Family Size	2	\$52,000
	3	\$58,500
	4	\$65,000
	5	\$70,200
	6	\$75,400

*\*Based on HUD Guidelines FY12*

Income verification is required for all sources of income. For more information on Scholarships or income verification sources you may contact the office at 508-821-1415.

Scholarships funded by the *U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development*  
through the City of Taunton Mayor's Office of Community Development.

# Hopewell Pool



Opens Monday, June 25<sup>th</sup> to Friday, August 17<sup>th</sup>

Open Swim Hours – Swimming & Wading Pools

Monday - Friday 1:00 pm – 5:30 pm

*Pool will be closed on Wednesday - July 4<sup>th</sup>*

## Swim Fees:

Season Pass \$20.00 per person  
(maximum of \$80.00 per family)

## Daily Rate\*:

\$2.00 per person  
(10 & Under\*\* - Free)

\*Daily Rate not to exceed maximum season rate of \$20.00 per person.

\*\*Children 10 & Under must be accompanied by an adult at all times in the pool area.

Tiny Tots are required to wear a disposable swim diaper at all times in the pool.

Season Passes are for sale at the Hopewell Pool beginning June 25<sup>th</sup>. Proof of Taunton Residency is required for all swimmers. Guest passes for all non-residents (children & adults) are \$3.00 each. Non-residents are only admitted to the pool when accompanied by a Taunton Resident.

Groups are charged \$50.00 per visit to the swimming pool, and require advance registration by calling the Parks, Cemeteries & Public Grounds Office at 508-821-1415.



Instructors certified in American Red Cross Water Safety teach Swim Lessons at Hopewell Pool to children at least 5 years of age by June 1, 2012. (Birth Certificate may be required.)

Lessons are held twice a week for five weeks beginning the week of July 9<sup>th</sup>.

### Mornings

Wednesday & Friday

9:50, 10:30 or 11:10 AM

### Evenings

Monday & Wednesday

5:30 PM

Registration Fee      \$30.00

*Non-Resident fee for Swim Lessons  
after June 17<sup>th</sup> (if space allows)  
is \$45.00 per swimmer*

## Tiny Tot Swim



Tiny Tot Swim allows children to become comfortable in the water as they learn basic water adjustment.

Swim time is offered for parents & children less than 5 years of age. This program is limited to Taunton Residents, and there must be one adult for each registered child.

Tiny Tot Swim begins on  
Monday, July 9<sup>th</sup>  
and runs for five weeks.

Monday & Wednesday  
5:45 PM – 6:30 PM

Registration Fee      \$30.00

Scholarships are available for Season Passes for eligible Taunton Residents.  
(Income Guidelines are on page 2.)  
Applications are available at the Hopewell Pool, Taunton Housing Authority Offices, Highland Hills & Pine Grove Tenant Association and the Parks, Cemeteries & Public Grounds Office.



July 10<sup>th</sup> – August 7<sup>th</sup>  
Cost \$60.00

**New!**

## Track Series

\$1.00 per week



## Basketball



**Cost \$30.00**

August	S	U	M	S	A	N	D	A	L	S	J	M	H	E	R
	S	T	A	R	U	T	S	W	H	E	N	U	I	T	S
Barbeque	T	H	E	S	G	N	U	M	M	E	M	R	L	S	O
Baseball	H	A	T	S	U	L	B	I	K	I	N	G	S	Y	T
Beach	O	I	C	E	S	A	R	U	D	O	U	O	N	D	T
Biking	L	H	E	T	T	W	E	N	R	R	E	L	A	X	T
Golf	I	Y	S	S	W	I	M	M	I	N	G	F	S	E	C
Hats	D	O	B	T	N	D	O	F	E	O	J	U	N	L	E
Holiday	A	A	A	N	R	S	D	E	F	I	I	N	I	L	S
Hot	Y	H	R	E	S	O	R	W	I	T	O	H	T	A	H
Humid	T	H	B	E	A	C	H	E	A	A	U	T	U	B	M
	N	E	E	Q	S	C	U	S	I	C	N	O	X	E	N
	E	A	C	N	R	E	T	H	N	A	T	N	U	S	E
	T	W	U	E	N	R	T	Y	S	V	E	C	O	A	N
	D	S	E	O	F	S	E	P	T	E	M	B	E	B	R

July  
Relax  
Sandals  
Shorts  
Soccer  
Sunburn  
Sunscreen  
Suntan  
Swimming  
Vacation

All program fees must be paid in full at time of registration. Checks are made payable to City of Taunton



## Lunch Program



The Summer Food Service Program (SFSP) is a federally funded program that provides free meals to children, ages 18 and under, when school is out for the summer.

Lunch is served daily at the following sites:

**Hopewell Pool**  
12 noon – 1:30 PM

**Paul Bunker\***  
**Highland Hills\***

*\*times to be determined*

All checks should be made payable to the City of Taunton.

A \$25.00 fee is charged by the City of Taunton for any returned check.

All Recreation Program Fees are non-refundable after Friday - June 15, 2012.

Sorry, NO EXCEPTIONS



## Important Registration Information

- Registration must be done by a parent or legal guardian only.
- Registration Forms will be available beginning April 18<sup>th</sup> on line and at the Park & Rec Office during regular business hours.
- Proof of Taunton Residency will be checked. Please bring your driver's license and a current utility bill. Registration may not be accepted without proof of residency.
- A minimum of \$100.00 deposit is required per child to reserve a spot in the Summer Festival with the balance due by June 1, 2012. All other program fees must be PAID IN FULL at time of registration.
- **NEW!** This year payment can be made on-line by credit card or check following the link on the Taunton Park & Recreation website. Payment is also accepted by check or money order by mail or in person. Sorry – No Cash can be accepted.
- Full Refunds will only be issued for refunds requested prior to May 18, 2012. After that date, a \$25.00 Summer Festival withdrawal fee will be charged and your refund will be issued minus that fee.

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Park & Recreation**

For online payments, follow the link on the City of Taunton website.

# League Information



## Little League

**Taunton East Little League**  
[www.eteamz.active.com/TauntonEastLittleLeague](http://www.eteamz.active.com/TauntonEastLittleLeague)  
Complex – 508-880-8829

**Taunton West Little League**  
[www.twll.net](http://www.twll.net)  
Complex – 508-823-8082

## Soccer



**Taunton Youth Soccer**  
[www.tauntonyouthsoccer.org](http://www.tauntonyouthsoccer.org)  
508-822-9970

## Football & Cheerleading

### Babe Ruth

**Babe Ruth**  
[www.tauntonbaberuth.com](http://www.tauntonbaberuth.com)  
508-210-4157

### **Pop Warner**

[www.tauntonpopwarner.com](http://www.tauntonpopwarner.com)  
508-822-1101



## Girls Softball

**Girls Softball**  
[www.tauntongirlssoftball.org](http://www.tauntongirlssoftball.org)  
508-823-1945

**Taunton Dynamites**  
[www.tauntondynamites.com](http://www.tauntondynamites.com)

## **Aleixo Ice-Skating Rink**

[www.fmcarenas.com](http://www.fmcarenas.com)  
508-824-4987

## **Massasoit State Park**

[www.reserveamerica.com](http://www.reserveamerica.com)  
508-822-7405

## **Watson's Pond**

617-727-3180  
508-884-8280



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